

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS**

STATE OF TEXAS,

Plaintiff,

v.

MERRICK GARLAND, in his official capacity as
Attorney General, *et al.*,

Defendants.

Case No. 5:23-cv-00034-H

**[PROPOSED] ORDER GRANTING JOINT MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE WITH
THE PARTIES' COMPETING SCHEDULING PROPOSALS**

Upon consideration of the parties' Joint Motion for Continuance with the Parties' Competing Scheduling Proposals, it is ORDERED that the Motion is GRANTED. It is further ordered that:

Plaintiff's Proposal	Defendants' Proposal
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The trial date is continued to November 20, 2023 at 9:00 am in the United States District Court, Courtroom C-216, 1205 Texas Avenue, Lubbock, Texas;• The parties shall exchange declarations by November 1, 2023;• The parties shall notify the Court whether they have reached an agreement regarding the admissibility of such declarations and the possible exchange of responsive declarations by November 7, 2023;• The parties shall file a final list of trial exhibits by November 17, 2023.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The October 30, 2023 trial date is vacated;• The parties shall exchange declarations by November 6, 2023;• By November 13, 2023, the parties shall submit a status report and proposed scheduling order that addresses whether discovery will be necessary, proposed deadlines for pre-trial disclosures, and a proposed trial date.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: _____

James Wesley Hendrix
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE